

## **REMARKS**

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's allowance of Claims 4-6, 36-39, 42, 45-48 and 57-60 and withdrawal of many of the prior objections and rejections.

### **Entry of Amendment**

As Applicants are merely canceling the rejected claims in this application, so that only allowed claims are now pending, this amendment should be entered and the application allowed.

Applicants will now address the Examiner's remaining rejections in the order in which they appear in the Final Rejection.

### **Claim Rejections - 35 USC §112**

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner rejects Claims 51, 53-56 and 61-64 under 35 USC §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. These rejections are respectfully traversed.

While Applicants traverse these rejections, in order to advance the prosecution of this application, Applicants are canceling Claims 51, 53-56 and 61-64, without prejudice or disclaimer, rendering the rejection of these claims moot.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the §112 rejections be withdrawn.

### **Claim Rejections - 35 USC §103**

The Examiner also rejects Claims 49, 51 and 52 under 35 USC §103(a) as being unpatentable over Nakagawa et al. (US 2004/0124766) in view of Shi et al. (US 6,680,132). This rejection is also

respectfully traversed.

While Applicants traverse this rejection, in order to advance the prosecution of this application, Applicants are canceling Claims 49, 51 and 52, without prejudice or disclaimer, rendering the rejection of these claims moot.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this rejection be withdrawn.

#### Conclusion

It is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and should be allowed as only allowed claims are now pending in this application.

If any fee should be due for this amendment, please charge our deposit account 50/1039.

Favorable reconsideration is earnestly solicited.

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